Cognitive Principles & Restructuring Facilitator Training

Instructor: Rae Forseth

Upon completion of this training, participants will be able to:

- ✓ Examine & discuss the importance of group facilitation
- ✓ Examine facilitation experiences comparing successful & problematic group experiences.
- ✓ Examine the curative factors and communication skills associated with groups.
- ✓ Teach offenders the 4 steps to self-change
- ✓ Describe and recognize criminal foundation errors utilized by offenders.
- ✓ Respond to offenders utilizing criminal foundation errors.
- ✓ Implement a cognitive restructuring program segment to address foundation errors.
- ✓ Describe and recognize criminal cycles utilized by offenders.
- ✓ Implement a cognitive restructuring program segment using criminal cycles
- ✓ Understand the purpose of a thinking error report.
- ✓ Implement the use of thinking reports with offenders
- ✓ Describe the difference between the three phases of CP&R
- ✓ Follow the Lesson Plans in the Facilitator's Manual
- ✓ Understand and be able to teach each of the assignments
- ✓ Understand how to use the forms for the program
- ✓ Understand the limits of confidentiality

Who should attend: Program managers, counselors, facilitators, supervisors of treatment programs, correctional staff interested in involvement in a cognitive restructuring program, Probation and Parole officers, Mental Health professionals, Chemical Dependency program staff and Pre-Release Center staff.

Date: July 13-15, 2010 (Tuesday-Thursday) To register contact:

Time: 8:00 am to 5:00 pm Geri Miller

Location: Nexus Treatment Center (406) 846-1320 ext 2307

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Cost: \$18.00 made payable to: Department of Corrections – Accounting

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DOC staff must complete a training request form and receive approval from their supervisor(s) prior to attending this course.

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